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RICHMOND INNER HARBOR APPROPRIATION IS PASSED

Forty-Three Million Dollar Budget Carrying With it the Richmond Inner Harbor Appropriation Passed the House of Representatives Yesterday Afternoon, According to a Telegram Received by H. W. Wernse This Morning From Congressman Curry.

Washington, D. C. Mar. 28, 1914.
H. W. Wernse,
Secretary Richmond Industrial Commission,
San Francisco, Cal.

The $43,000,000 government appropriation bill for rivers and harbors passed the house of representatives yesterday afternoon and carries with it the Richmond inner harbor appropriation of $480,000; $100,000 will be available as soon as approved by the senate and the balance as the work progresses.

C. F. CURRY.

The bill appropriating forty-three million dollars for the rivers and harbors of the Richmond inner harbor, $100,000 of which will be available as soon as signed by the president, passed the house of representatives yesterday afternoon, according to a dispatch received from Congressman C. F. Curry by H. W. Wernse, secretary of the Richmond Industrial commission this morning.

The bill will now take its regular course in the upper house after which the president will be asked to sign the bill when the budget will become available.

The news of the successful passage of the Richmond appropriation through the lower house will be received by Richmond people with an acclaim of joy. There is nothing now that will stop the progress of the bill to its final passage and Richmondites can rest assured that within a few weeks the glad tidings will be flashed over the telegraph wires from the national capital that this city has at last realized its highest wish at the hands of the congress of the United States.

MAN LEFT TO DIE—IS FOUND ON THE AVENUE

Found in a dazed and bleeding condition at the corner of Ashland and Macdonald avenues at a late hour last evening by Officer Barry, Eric Carlson told a strange story at police headquarters of having been beaten by two men because he made a remark about a passing woman.

Carlson was unable to furnish the police with an accurate description of his two assailants who made off following the affair. Although the pain caused by each word he spoke was excrutiating, Carlson told a Record-Herald reporter of having left his home in Auburn several days ago. Arriving here he started out for a good time which nearly resulted in his death. It is the belief of the local authorities that Carlson caused the affair by insulting the woman while he was intoxicated.

Edward Stewart, brother-in-law of John Moyle, local realty dealer, who has been spending several days at the Moyle home on Santa Fe avenue, will leave for his home in Ceres tomorrow evening.

OFFICER M'GOWAN OPERATED UPON LAST EVENING

Policeman John O. McGowan, residing at 516 Sixth street, was operated on last evening at the Caven hospital for tonsil trouble from which he has been suffering for some time.

"Mac," when seen at a late hour yesterday afternoon stated that he found it very difficult to swallow and thought that an operation would be the only thing that would relieve him of his trouble.

Dr. C. R. Blake who is attending McGowan stated today that his patient was getting along nicely.

TWO CONTRA COSTA TEACHERS ON PENSION

Contra Costa county is to havt two teachers on the pension list at $500 a year. Mrs. Annie Laucks of Pacheco and Mrs. Hattie Driscoll of Benicia have been placed on the pension list by State Superintendent of Schools Hyatt.

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Owens Shows Conclusively from Sacramento Archives in State Capitol that Statement Made by Labor Leaders Concerning the Attendance of Himself and Other Senators are False—Comparative Table of Roll Calls and Absentees Prove Owens' Record Better Than Average—Was Only Absent from Duty Three Days and Then Was Attending to Duties as Mayor of Richmond on Leave Legally Obtained from the Senate by Their Unanimous Consent.

The opponents of Senator Owens have been making much capital concerning his alleged non-attendance on the sessions of the last legislature and that he has not replied to the charges made against him by the paid lobbiests of San Francisco. The senator has been loth to enter into an extended newspaper controversy for several reasons. In the first place, in order to give the facts as they exist he would be compelled to publish a complete record of the work of his brother senators to show the voters the shallow pretext on which his attempted recall is based. Then, too, he considered it beneath his senatorial dignity to bandy words with the element which has been instrumental in causing this election at a cost of a great many thousand dollars to the taxpayers of the Ninth Senatorial District.

But these persistant, unfair and untrathful attacks call for a reply and Senator Owens has been urged by his friends to tell the plain facts in the case, even though these facts may not be pleasing in every instance to his senatorial colleagues. This he has done in the following statement which has been obtained direct from the records of the senate and the figures presented are true in every particular. The Senator defies his traducers to disprove any one of them and he brands as false and misleading each and every statement made by Scharrenberg and the other labor leaders of San Francisco who have instigated this recall and pursued it during the campaign which is just closing.

His statement follows:

(By Senator James C. Owens)

In the second farlom hope to discredit my record a "Rubber Stamped" pamphlet was circulated among the voters of my senatorial district from the California State Federation of Labor, bringing up new charges, which I answer as follows:

THE KEHOE RATING BILL

First; I am accused of voting against the Kehoe Rating (insurance) bill, No. 896. The Senate was evenly divided upon this measure, 18 voting for and 18 against, the bill being refused passage. Such a meritous measure found such senators as Beban, Birdsall, Breed, Campbell, Cohn, Curtin, Finn, Flint, Hans, Julliard, Lyon, Mott, Regan, Rush, Strobridge and Wright, casting their lot with me. Why should not recall proceedings be invoked against them, for surely they did not vote in the interests of Mr. Scharrenberg, and among them we find his most staunch supporters.

THE ANTI-PRIZE FIGHT BILL

In voting for an amendment to the Anti-Prize Fight bill, together with Senators Beban, Birdsell, Boynton, Bryant, Campbell, Cartwright, Cohn, Finn, Flint, Gerdes, Hans, Julliard, Lyon, Regan Rush, Sanford, Shanahan, Tyrell and Wright, among whom we find represented the leader of the Senate and the strongest advocates of labor, I am again subjected to severe criticism. I am further accused of absenting myself upon final roll call, which is so ridiculous that it should create some amusement when, as a matter of fact, the bill never came up for final passage, and the records of the Senate will bear me out in this and all my statements.

I am accused of voting against the Anti-Gambling bill, Assembly Bill No. 1581.

THE ANTI-GAMBLING BILL

Again an untruth has been maliciously uttered, as the official records will show that I did not vote against it, only one senator voting in the negative and that was Senator Regan. The bill carried such little merit that the governor vetoed it. Why not recall the chief executive, Mr. Scharrenberg, for not giving it his approval?

THE BLUE SKY BILL

Assembly Bill No. 2086, the Blue Sky bill, was called up for final passage the day before adjournment when I was busily engaged looking after the interests of the Richmond Tide Lands bill, of the utmost importance to Richmond and which bill had not yet passed the Assembly. Where was my presence most needed at this time, sitting in the Senate answering roll calls on bills which had no opposition and of a mere routine nature, or over in the Assembly, soliciting enough votes among the assemblymen there present to pass a bill of paramount importance to the future of the city of Richmond?

I leave it to the fair minded voters to judge for themselves.

BILL REGULATING LOAN SHARKS

Senate Bill No. 1740, regulating loan sharks, unfortunately was called up for final passage at 11 o'clock p. m. on April 28th. The official records of the Senate show that I consistently answered roll calls all day until 7 p. m. at night, at which time recess was declar-

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RICHMOND MAY BE SCENE OF TWENTY-ROUND CONTEST

Permit to be Sought for Event From City Council by Jimmy Rohan of Oakland—Mayor Ludewig Does Not Look With Favor on Issuance of Permit—Chief of Police Arnold Says it is up to City Council—Other Councilmen Reticient About Affair

OAKLAND, March 28. — A twenty-round boxing license is to be sought from the Richmond authorities across the line by Jimmy Rohan of the Oakland Wheelmen's club. Rohan intends making a bid for a Freddy Welsh-Willie Ritchie twenty-round open air match in May and will offer the champion twenty thousands dollars as his end.

Harry Pollack, manager of Freddy Welsh, was in conference today with the local promoter and agreed to terms and conditions.

"But" what's the use," he moaned. "Willie won't fight us if you give him the U. S. Mint and the Panama Canal."

Mayor O. R. Ludewig when asked as to whether he would favor granting a permit for a prize fight in Richmond stated this morning to a Record-Herald reporter that personally he did not favor granting the permit, although he had received no intimation that a permit would be asked for and that the first he knew of the proposed bout had been received from the reporter.

Chief of Police James P. Arnold when asked this morning as to what attitude he would assume provided Jimmy Rohan would seek to obtain a permit to pull off a bout similar to the event when Wolgast and Nelson mixed in a public arena several years ago in Richmond, stated that it was strictly up to the city council. If the council saw fit to grant the permit he would see that the affair was pulled off in an orderly manner that no rough stuff would be allowed.

Other councilmen interviewed during the day were non-commital as to what stand they would take should an application be filed with the city dads for a prize fight permit.

HAS ENTERED REAL ESTATE FIELD HERE

E. C. Gamble, who recently arrived here from the north, has entered the real estate field in Richmond. He sees something good in this city and has announced that he will make Richmond his permanent home.

Mrs. Gamble, who is a daughter of Rev. S. K. Skinner, pastor of the San Pablo church, has been visiting her parents for some time and during her stay in our neighboring town has endeared herself to all by her good work in the church and Sunday school.

SAN PABLO AVENUE WILL BE REPAIRED

The work of repairing San Pablo avenue north from Macdonald avenue to Park Avenue is to be commenced during the coming week by Assistant Superintendent of Streets Welch. The road is to receive another layer of crushed rock on top of which will be put an asphalt surface.

BILLY GOAT IS EXCEPTION TO KIPLING RULE

Although the female of the species is considered more deadly than the male, Bud Wright and Billy Logan learned to their sorrow that a bearded Billy goat has enough force in his head to jar the rock of Gibraltar.

As a result of the tussel with "Jack," the goat mascot of the Enterprise brewing company, Logan and Fred are mourning the loss of a good pair of trousers, which were torn to ribbons by the repeated onslaughts of the goat yesterday afternoon.

VOTE AGAINST THE ABUSE OF THE RECALL

You are earnestly urged to come out on Tuesday, March, 31st and vote "NO" on the recall of Senator Owens.

The purpose of the recall is to remove officers who have been guilty of corruption or malfeasance in office. Its use for any other purpose is unfair, unauthorized, vicious and un-American.

Senator Owens has not been guilty of any corruption or malfeasance in office. His recall was started by paid lobbyists and agitators of San Francisco because his vote on legislative measures was governed by his judgment and not by their wishes.

Don't fail to vote on Tuesday, March 31st, and vote AGAINST the recall.

Vote against the recall by stamping a cross in the square to the right of the word "No" on the ballot. The question of the recall on the ballot will be in the following form:

QUESTION		
Shall James C. Owens be recalled from the office of member of the Senate of the State of California from the Ninth Senatorial District.	Yes	
	No	X

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THE RULE OR RUIN POLICY

The greatest foe that labor has is the agitator and trouble-breeder. Among no other class of men is such a faction allowed to dominate, but are made to conform to the wishes of the majority. That is why labor is always into some trouble or other. If it is not one kind of trouble it is another, for the bread and butter of the agitator depends upon his ability to keep everybody else stirred up and the more trouble he creates and stirs up the better agitator he is. All other classes of business men have their organizations, but in these the agitator is not allowed to dominate, and so harmony usually prevails and the objects and desires of the organization is the better accomplished.

If it were not for the firebrands in the ranks of labor organizations such organizations would have the confidence of their fellow men to a much larger degree than they do. These fermenters of strife promulgate a doctrine among their associates that all mankind is their foe, when in point of fact all mankind, as a general rule, wish them well and desire to see them prosper and get all they are entitled to. Their whole propaganda is based upon wrong premises. And by far the worst part of their teachings is that a policy of force and a policy of rule or ruin is the way to win, when nothing could be more sure of failure than such policies. Attempts at force and the rule or ruin policy will sooner or later disrupt any organization on earth, whether it be among the ranks of labor or of any other organization or class. Unfortunately, though, the laboring men have not as yet been able to study that out in its true light. The radical element is the one that usually has the gift of gab and does most of the talking, and so they win their way and continue to bring labor into disrepute among hundreds of thousands of people who would much rather be their friends.

We have now before us another fair example of this rule or ruin policy in the attempted recall of Senator Owens. The city of Richmond is strongly unionized. The other cities in a majority of the other senatorial districts of the state are not. Senator Owens voted on a large majority of bills before the legislatures just as did a large number of his fellow state senators. Yet he is put to the expense and humiliation of a recall movement, while the other senators who voted the same as he did are not. Why? Simply because wherever the labor agitator butts into politics and everything else in sight the rule or ruin policy is inculcated. The paid lobbist could not rule Owens, and so they seek to ruin him, just as they threatened to do at the time they demanded that he vote as they dictated.

This sort of thing has gone far enough here, and unless the people rise up in their majesty and deal this rule or ruin policy a body blow at the election to come off next Tuesday there is no telling to what extent it will be worked, and untold hardship and injustice be done to many others, in addition to continual heavy expense to the taxpayers. Stamp it out right now while you have a good chance, and put an end to a lot of it by registering your disapproval.

We have no war against these people, and nobody else has. Most of the howling these radicals put up are over imaginary griefs. They holler whether they are hurt or not, because hollering is their stock in trade and if they didn't continually make a loud noise they would lose their jobs as agitators.

The people of Richmond, of Contra Costa county and of this senatorial district wish all these people well. We are all in favor of just measures for their protection. We want them to have plenty of work, at short hours and at high wages. We want them to own their own homes, educate their children, enjoy life and have their just share of all the good things there are. If it was left to a vote of the people as to whether they should have all these things there would be no doubt whatever as to the result, but if the agitator was to admit this to his followers he would be putting himself out of business, and so he keeps right on agitating the air as well as all human kind and makes his living by the sweat of his jaw, promulgating the policy of rule or ruin first, last and all the time, until the majority of his fellow men all over the civilized world hate him as they do a rattlesnake.

It is a great puzzle to all mankind why labor organizations will allow the radical element among them to become the leaders. It is a lamentable fact, for they are the real foes of labor, and, apparently, labor as yet does not realize it.

Continual attempts at force and the rule or ruin policy never won out with sensible and conservative people yet, and never will. It simply stirs up bad blood, makes enemies out of friends and causes disaster.

From the bottom of our heart we earnestly and honestly wish the laboring organizations could be brought to see these things as other people view them, and to adopt measures and policies less warlike and more in the spirit of conciliation, arbitration, and a spirit of friendliness and fairness which other organizations in all other walks of life practice and use in the settlement of difficulties and differences of opinion which they encounter in trying to accomplish what they desire. It would be far better for them if they did, and better for everybody else with whom they must do business and have dealings with.

The average man is in favor of labor organizing and getting its rights. This paper is most certainly in favor of it, and is willing to help at any time along any just and legitimate lines to bring about such ends. Senator Owens is the friend of labor and of labor organizations, and this talk to the contrary is merely the vaporings of the paid lobbiest, the agitator and the radical who delights in stirring up trouble in the pursuit of the rule or ruin policy. Senator Owens has a heart in him as big as an ox. No labor representative could go to him in the right manner and right spirit and not be accorded a respectful hearing and just consideration. We know this man—know him well—and know that this is a fact. But, on the other hand, when a lobbist or radical agitator goes to him and threatens to bludgeon him and ruin him if he cannot rule him, he resents that sort of thing, just as any man with a spark of manhood in him would. Any man or set of men whose cause was just could go to Senator Owens in the right manner and get anything from him within the bounds of reason, anything on earth that was right, but he refused to be browbeaten and bulldozed by a set of men whom nobody on earth would take orders from, and that is why this recall election was brought against him, and the only reason on earth. Senator Owens refused to be a "rubber stamp" official, and hence his downfall was sought by those who know no other creed than that of rule or ruin.

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First Monday of March, 1914

in accordance with the new constitution. Refusal or neglect to make such sworn statement of all property owned or held in trust, will subject the person so refusing or neglecting to make such sworn statement to the full penalty of the law.

All property owners should see that their property is correctly described on the assessment roll.

Immediate attention is necessary, as work on the roll has already been commenced. Proper blanks may be had at the Assessor's office or of his deputies.

All statements must be in the Assessor's office on or before the 1st day of May, 1914.

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OWENS SUBMITS ANSWERS TO ATTACKS OF TRADUCERS

Fair and Frank Statement Concerning His Services for the People of the Ninth Senatorial District During the Last Term of the State Legislature--Tells How and Why He Voted on Certain Measures which were Brought Up for Consideration--Some Inside Facts Concerning Lobbiests

Senator James C. Owens, who has been so viciously attached and maligned by certain interests in San Francisco and other places in the state and whose recall will be attempted at the election which is to take place on Tuesday next made a statement to the public answering fully every statement and accusation made by his detractors and this statement was published throughout Marin and Contra Costa counties several days ago. However, in order to make sure that Senator Owens' statement of the facts is read by every voter in the Ninth Senatorial district, we are giving it space today. It will be noticed that the senator does not mince his words, but pours redhot shot into the recall forces with telling truths. Here is the statement in full:

BY SENATOR JAMES C. OWENS.

To the Men and Women of Marin and Contra Costa Counties:

An election having been called for March 31, 1914, to determine whether I shall be recalled as State Senator after having served half of my term, or whether I shall be permitted to serve out four years for which I was elected, and an unfair and unrighteous attack having been made upon my record by paid lobbyists at the last session of the Legislature, I deem it my duty to my constituents and but fair to myself to make a frank and unreserved statement of the motives that actuated me in voting for certain measures, and also to announce to the voters of my Senatorial district what my attitude will be a the forthcoming session of the Legislature, should I be retained in office.

In answering the bitter charges which have been made against me, I shall exhibit no malice, as I have none, but I shall state the truth unreservedly, and if it reflects upon any alleged representative of organizd labor, it shall not be my fault nor the fault of the labor unions themselves, but rather because certain lobbyists are seeking personal revenge because my vote on certain measures was governed by my judgment under my oath rather than by the wishes of these paid lobbyists.

Pre-Election Statement.

In response to inquiries from the labor organizations as to my attitude toward certain policies, and in answering said questions in the affirmative, I did so believing that the specific bills drafted would not contain the vicious and objectionable features which they did.

I wish to have it understood that I do not object to have representatives of labor unions present at any session of the Legislature, because I invite all interests to be represented, but I do sincerely and frankly object to men, representing any class, attempting to control votes of Senators by threats and intimidations, and such was the record of Mr. Scharrenberg.

In fact I recall one instance when Scharrenberg was ordered off the floor of the Senate because of his violation of the rules of that body, as well as the rules of decency and propriety.

I desire to say that any representative of labor unions, as well as other classes of citizens, will always receive the most considerate attention when they are present and urge REASON rather than FORCE in attempting to enforce legislation.

An Unfair Attack.

An unsigned and unfathered attack has been made upon my record by the publication of a pamphlet entitled, "Voters, Attention!"

While the name of the author is not affixed to this publication, I am reliably informed that it was printed and circulated at the instance of Mr. Scharrenberg, whose officious and malodorous record as a lobbyist was denounced by the leading members of the Senate of all parties. Such an anonymous publication does not deserve an answer, but my respect for the new people of this district and for myself and my family require it.

Woman's Eight-Hour Law.

The circular is so worded as to carry the impression that I was opposed to the eight-hour law.

The eight-hour law was passed before I became a member of the Senate, and I merely opposed certain amendments that proposed to extend the eight-hour law so as to include the women employes of the cotton mills at Oakland, the student nurses in the hospitals throughout the State, and women employed in canneries and packing houses in the fruit industry.

My vote upon these proposed amendments was not controlled by friendship or animosity to any class of laborers or to employers.

I would have voted for a most careful consideration of the facts when the bill was presented to the Committee on Capital and Labor, if I had known of the unfair attitude of the chairman of the Committee on Capital and Labor, who refused to appoint a committee of three to make an investigation of the hospitals and interview the women therein employed for the purpose of ascertaining their wishes.

Had this committee reported after a careful investigation that it was the wish of the majority of the women employed in the hospitals to have the eight-hour law extended as as not to include hospitals, I should have voted for the amendment.

A large number of women of the cotton mills at Oakland appeared before the Committee on their own accord and begged that the cotton mills be not included. They testified under oath that the law would be in injury to them, that they were receiving the most careful consideration by their employers, that the passage of such a law would cut down their compensation, as they worked by the hour. **They begged the Committee to report adversely on the amendment in the presence of Mr. Scharrenberg, who was there lobbying for the amendments.**

Under my oath I had to believe these women employes themselves rather than Mr. Scharrenberg, who professed to be for them, but who really spoke against their interests, and I do not believe that any fair voter in this district will condemn me for my attitude upon these amendments.

I know they would not if they could have heard the earnestness with which these women pleaded with the committee that the law be not amended so as to include them.

So far as extending the law to the fruit canneries and packing houses was concerned, the evidence taken proved to my entire satisfaction that the extending of the eight-hour law so as to include women in that particular industry would be an injury to the women employes themselves and against their interests, and also against the business interests of the State.

The evidence showed that women were paid almost wholly by the hour or by the piece, and that the employment in fruit canneries and fruit packing establishments covered but a very short period of the year and it was the desire of the women employes to employ their time as profitably during the canning and packing season as possible.

The testimony was showed that the women so employed were as healthy a class as any women in the State under the conditions that existed prior to the amendment of the law, and it certainly was my duty under my oath to regard the wishes of women employes in these institutions as well as the interests of the employers rather than the wishes of Mr. Scharrenberg.

Railroad Bill.

This anonymous and unfathered attack upon my record charges me with having introduced Senate Bill 243, which is it alleged, would have taken practically all the powers of the Railroad Commission or Public Utilities Commission from it.

I introduced the bill by request, it having been introduced in the Assembly the day before, and joined with the senate in having it referred to the Railroad Commission itself for its advice.

The Railroad Commission disapproved of the bill and I permitted it to die in the Committee.

I could easily have called it to the floor and put it to a vote, but taking the judgment of the Railroad Commission itself, and believing under oath that it was unwise to have the bill passed which I introduced, I permitted it purposely to die in the Committee. Certainly no one can condemn me for my action in that regard.

Compensation Law

I am charged in substance with having opposed workmen's compensation. While there are many features of the present law that do not strongly commend themselves to me, I did not vote for or against the bill, but favored two separate bills—one which provided for workmen's compensation and another one which provided for safety devices.

I favored these amendments rather than the original bill because I thought that under these amendments the men with small capital who employ only a few laborers, would be better protected than under the Boynton bill.

I certainly believe in the principle of compensating the laborer who is unfortunate and meets with an accident while engaged in the business of his employer, but such a law should rest equitably upon all and should not favor the larger employer of labor as against the employer of a few laborers.

While I favored a fair compensation act which would be just to the employe and the employer, one objection I had to the Boynton bill, and which prevented me becoming an advocate of it, was that under it a commission of three men was provided who were not subject to recall, having almost unlimited powers, who can appoint employes without experience and fix their compensation, whose decisions are final and not subject to review by any court in the land.

In ordinary business matters if a dispute arise between employer and employe, or between citizens, the disputants have an opportunity for a trial in a court, and from that judgment either party can have the proceedings reviewed, and if he has failed to secure justice, has an opportunity to be heard in a higher court.

The decisions of this Commission, who are clothed by the law with power to decide matters of gravest importance, are not subject to review by any court or by any institution in the state, nor are the Commissioners themselves subject to recall like the judges of our Superior, Appellate and Supreme courts.

This affords the best opportunity ever offered in any state to build up a political machine that can control the policies of the state and can make and unmake men at its will.

They may create positions and fill them with political henchmen without limit, nor is there any limitation to the compensation they may fix for their employes.

In addition to this objection the law is applicable to only certain avocations, and does not apply alike to all employers or to all employes.

The bill carries an appropriation of about $261,000, and no state in the Union has passed so sweeping and so arbitrary a measure, and while I favored a compensation act that would be just and fair, I could not conscientiously under my oath urge the passage or vote for the Boynton bill, for it kept the state out of the general insurance business.

I joined in asking that the Boynton bill be divided so that one bill could deal with the question of compensation, one with the question of insurance, as I desired to vote in favor of a fair compensation bill and a fair safety device bill, and vote against the general insurance bill which is entirely experimental and places a burden upon the taxpayers which I do not believe they should bear.

Anti-Injunction Bill

I am charged with voting against the Anti-Injunction bill.

This is true, and if I am returned to the Senate I shall vote against any measure which contains the same objectionable features that that bill contained.

The bill which I voted against provided that the right to do business in California should not be considered a property right, and took away from every business man in this state the right which he now enjoys to protect his business against destruction and unlawful tax.

The right to do business is as important to the employe as to the employer because if business is not protected there will be no wages to pay employes, and I might add that I was actuated by the same motives and same reasons in voting against the picketing bill.

I might also add on these measures I voted with a majority of the Senate.

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ROWDIES ARE ROUTED AT ANTIOCH

ANTIOCH, March 28.—A delegation of Hayward rowdies headed by a hoodlum deputy sheriff from Alameda county named Blake were given a hard call down here Thursday evening by Constable E. B. Whelihan who stopped the bloody fight between Mendosa and Battling Johnson who figured in the fisticuffs program at the pavilion.

The tip had been given that this fight was to be a gory one and was in reality to be in settlement of a grudge between the two men and each one was supported by retinues of hoodlums from Hayward and Oakland.

They had hardly started the second round when both were streaming with blood that flowed down onto the floor of the ring.

"Stop it," commanded Constable Whelihan, who jumped up into the arena.

Deputy Sheriff White of Alameda county, who was in a sotten condition, attempted to interfere but with a twirl the Antioch law officer piled him up in a heap on the floor.

Whelihan then in plain words told the visitors just how things stood and he did not mince matters in expressing his opinions of hoodlums and rowdies.

The main feature of the evening between Rainier and Mejia poceeded to the eighth round when Referee Ed Edinburg awarded the honors to Mejia because of Rainier's persistent fouling.

Constable Whelihan declares his surprise that such a "rowdy and a bum" as he asserts White to be should wear the star of a deputy sheriff of Alameda county. He asserts he is not opposed to legitimate boxing but when it degenerates into bulldog fighting it cannot run in Antioch.

FERNLEAF CIGAR STORE SOLD TO W. B. CRANE

The Fernleaf cigar store, conducted for the past few years by James Cryan, at Sixth street and Macdonald avenue, was sold yesterday to W. B. Crane.

Mr. Crane has a large host of friends in Richmond who are wishing him the best of success in his new enterprise. Just what Cryans plans will be for the future have not as yet been made known.

FOR THE GRIP

Peruna Is Sometimes Used With Good Results

Mrs. Jane Gift.

A great many people use Peruna for the grip. Some use it as soon as the grip begins, taking it during the acute stage of the disease, claiming for it great efficacy in shortening the disease, and especially in shortening the after stages.

Many people take it after they have had the grip. Their convalescence is slow. They have suffered along for a month or two, without any signs of complete recovery. Then they resort to Peruna as a tonic, with splendid results.

Mrs. Jane Gift, R. F. D. 1, Athens, Ohio, whose portrait appears above, writes: "I think I would have been dead long ago if it had not been for Peruna. Six years ago I had la grippe very bad. The doctor came to see me every day, but I gradually grew worse. I told my husband I thought I would surely die if I did not get relief soon.

"One day I picked up the newspaper and accidentally found a testimonial of a woman who had been cured of grip by Peruna. I told my husband I wanted to try it. He went directly to the drug store and got a bottle of Peruna. I could see the improvement in a very short time and was soon able to do my work. I continued using it until I was entirely cured."

Mr. Victor Patnesude, 328 Madison St., Topeka, Kas., writes: "Twelve years ago I had a severe attack of la grippe and I never really recovered my health and strength, but grew weaker every year, until I was unable to work.

"Two years ago I began using Peruna and it built up my strength so that in a couple of months I was able to go to work again. This winter I had another attack of la grippe, but Peruna soon drove it out of my system. My wife and I consider it a wonderful remedy."

Those who object to liquid medicines can now obtain Peruna Tablets

WOMAN MOOSE NOW HAVE NEW OFFICERS

The members of the Woman Loyal Order of Moose met in Sequoia hall last evening and elected the following officers for the coming year:

Mrs. Laura Ramsey, worthy matron; Miss Gertrude McQuarrie, associate matron; Mrs. Jessie Drury, deaconess; Mrs. Mary Listman, conductress; Miss Helen McQuarrie, inner guard; Mrs. Mary Hannah, outer guard; Mrs. S. E. Peters, secretary; Mrs. Amelia Wyatt, treasurer; Miss Grace Curry, musician and Mrs. Mary Dilley, Mrs. Margaret Work and Mrs. George Curry, trustees.

RICHMOND'S TUNNEL WILL DEVELOPE THE WEST SIDE OF TOWN

With the completion of the new municipal tunnel, wharves and highways, all people entering Richmond from the west side of San Francisco bay will come by this route. The need of Richmond's communication with its own natural deep water has long been felt, and the overcoming of the hill barrier by means of the tunnel and highway will permanently establish the line of travel.

This congested travel will be confined from the water front till it reaches the north portal of the tunnel by the roadway. At the latter point, however, traffic will be spread all directions. The city council, realizing that most of this travel will be north and east over the streets of the canal subdivision, ordered the entire district improved, and the City Engineer's office is busy preparing plans and specifications for the laying of sewers and improving of all the streets.

The ultimate development of Richmond's inner harbor and the canal subdivision has been very fittingly compared to New York's battery and the adjacent warehouse.

Brooks island decorated with the imposing statue of Liberty, at the entrance to New York harbor, presents the same spectacle as Liberty island, while the lower part of the canal subdivision would be analogus with the lower part of Battery in New York and its continuation along the East river. Any one familiar with the shore line of lower Manhattan cannot help but recognize the similarity between these two harbor projects. Of course, without freight and shipping, Richmond's harbor front would never develop, but who, in the face of the opening of the Panama canal, which will bring millions of tons of freight to Richmond's shores and Richmond's own industrial development, could doubt the future of this little city, which has swung itself within the short space of ten years to first place among the industrial cities of the entire Pacific Coast, and to second place among the ports of California.

It is therefore not only plausible but a fact to be reckoned with, that within another ten years Richmond is likely to have a population of 100,000 people, and its industrial harbor aspect will have changed, perhaps not to the magnitude of New York, but it will have become a harbor of the same importance to the Pacific Coast as New York harbor is to the Atlantic Coast.

Richmond is writing history with a strong and progressive hand, guided by the energies of men like Cutting, Wernse, Colonel Rees and others who have made tht future of Richmond their life issue.

MEXICAN REFUGEE ARRIVES IN CITY

A. R. Hogg, editor of the Mexican Automobile Journal, published in Mexico city, arrived in Richmond this morning from Vancouver, B. C., where he has been sojourning for the past few weeks. Mr. Hogg is a guest of Arthur Chippendale, at 143 Sixth street, who was an intimate friend of the Chippendale family in the southern republic.

Mr. Hogg will probably cast his lot with the Richmond people until such time as it becomes safe to venture again into the land of revolutions and hot tamales. He says Mexico is not a safe place at the present time for civilized beings and he intends to remain in this country until the inevitable intervention takes place which may happen after the present administration goes out of office.

LILLY BRIDGE INDULGED IN BY THE SMART SET

Lily bridge was the pastime indulged in by the many guests present at a delightful party held at the home of Mrs. W. A. Lucas, 112 Washington avenue, yesterday afternoon. Those present at the affair were:

Mesdames D. A. Knowles, J. F. Brooks, V. A. Fenner, G. W. Fredenburg, C. E. Neidecker, E. J. Garrard, H. C. Adair, E. Griffin, A. M. Erwig, W. D. Mason, L. D. Dimm, U. S. Abbott, H. S. Transue, S. F. Jenkins, L. D. Windrem, J. O. Ford, J. F. Eaton, H. C. Chapman, S. De Luna, H. Dial, G. Clark, E. O'Brien, H. C. Axelson, H. C. Biggs, W. Janke, B. X. Tucker, W. Paul, H. Hulin, J. Brothers, J. Gordon, W. Hamilton, E. M. Tilden, J. C. Owens, W. A. Boone, C. Flint, I. B. Innis, E. Gibson, H. Mergenthal, H. Howell, E. C. Stratton, Miss Alice Adair and Miss Bessie Troy and Miss Lillian Russell of Alameda.

ACCIDENT BOARD DEMANDS STATEMENT

The demand for a statement of the attitude of the Industrial Accident Commission concerning the subject of hernia has been especially insistent, one Insurance Company alone having referred three different cases of rupture to the Commission during the last two weeks. The members of the Industrial Accident Commission have had considerable experience with the subject of hernia under the Roseberry Act, and, as a result of that experience, taken together with a very serious study of the questions involved, and after seeking expert medical advice, they have come to the conclusion that hernia, commonly known as rupture, is rarely caused by external violence or accident. The Commission has expressed itself as viewing all cases of hernia with suspicion. It will require that the injured employee prove beyond the shadow of a doubt that his injury was received while working for the employer from whom he is claiming compensation. After the Commission has been assured that the hernia did not arise in connection with the workman's employment, it will then require that a diagnosis be made by medical referees. If, in their judgment of those referees, the case is one in which an operation could be satisfactorily performed, an operation will be recommended, and compensation will be limited to the expense of the operation with payment for temporary disability caused by such operation.

The Commission, a few weeks ago in declaring the case of Clary vs. the Standard Oil Company, took a decided stand in connection with this matter by holding that: "Sound public policy assuredly will not justify the capitalization of such injury (hernia) for the drawing of a long continued disability compensation when by a relatively simple operation, in ninety cases out of one hundred, the injured person can be made perfectly sound for the rest of his natural life, and no harm follow failure in the other ten cases."

TRANSFERS OF REAL ESTATE

John R. Nystrom Co. to Harry Ellis—Lot 184 El Cerrito Terrace.

David Swanson to Wilhelm Niklas—Lot 1 block 18 Town of Valona.

C. J. Rihn to J. L. Rihn—Lot 21 block 44, Map of City of Richmond.

Queen Land Co. to Geo. C. Miller—Lots 3 and 4 block 2 Map of Alvarado Tract.

Andrew V. Bean to A. S. Baldwin—Lots 38, 39, 40 and 41, block J in Pullman Park Tract.

Richmond Annex Land Co. to L. Louisa Price—Lot 14, block 193, in Richmond Annex.

Robert E. Bousfield to Wm. Thos. Bond—Lot 19 and 101 Rancho El Rio.

Roy A. Wells to John L. Lund—Lot 7, block J, Map of Highland Tract.

Sam G. Little to Paul E. Holchester—Lots 20 and 21, block 35, in Amended Map of the City of Richmond.

Frank Ghiglione to Lafayette Improvement Club—Described tract in Lafayette.

Antonio Lupis to Peter A. Lupis—Lots 8 and 9, block 4, Henderson Tapscott Tract No. 1.

COMING EVENTS

March 27th—Social dance to be given in A. O. U. W. hall by Richmond Lodge of Homesteaders.

March 27th—Dance by Lincoln Homestead, No. 265, A. O. U. W. hall. Gentlemen 50c.

March 28th—April Fool dance to be given in Sequoia hall by members of the Sequoia club.

March 28th—Whist party by Contra Costa Temple Pythian Sisters, in Pythian hall.

March 29—Spokane team of the Northwest league to tangle with Richmond team at First street grounds. Game called at 2:30 o'clock.

April 3.—Dance to be given in Sequoia hall by Independent Order of Foresters.

April 3.—Windmills of Holland, given by the music department of high school at auditorium of Lincoln school. Admission 25 and 50 cents.

April 11—Regular monthly dance to be given by the Kandy Kids at East Shore park. Music by Pinto. Gentlemen 50 cents. Ladies free. Several boxes of candy will be awarded the holders of the lucky admission numbers.

April 14—Whist party to be given by the ladies of St. Marks' parish in Pythian hall.

April 18—Third Annual Ball of Gustav Vasa Lodge No. 187. Music by Logan's orchestra. Admission 50 cents; ladies free.

April 18—Dancing party given by Court San Pablo, No. 8216, A. O. F. Foresters' Hall, San Pablo.

April 21—Tuesday, Whist party by members of Our Lady of Mercy Church

JOHN NICHOLL TO BE HOME ON THE FIRST OF APRIL

John Nicholl is speeding westward on one of the fast Southern Pacific trains to reach Richmond by Wednesday morning so that he will be able to greet the members of the city council with April Fool.

John is reported while in the east Wednesday morning so that he will to have taken in all the world famed places from the Astor hotel to Rectors and he must have had a glorious time.

15 MINUTES IS QUICK TIME FOR MAKING ARREST

Fifteen minutes following the receipt of a telegram from Redwood City, Albert Teachart, wanted at that place for failure to provide, was arrested by Officer Phillips.

Teachart at first emphatically denied that he was the man but upon questioning at the station broke down and related all the facts pertaining to his case. He was in the employe of the Warswick Paving company, working on the western end of Richmond avenue.

It is our frost-covered opinion that there are too many whiskers in the moving pictures. Beyond that the drama is satisfactory to us, as we seldom go.

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Those who have made me—have done their work well—you may trust me as to thread and to button—wear me hard—wear me long—I will be faithful to the last stitch.

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RICHMOND OIL SAVES OREGON APPLE CROP

MEDFORD, (Or.) March 28.—Loaded with California oil for smudging the orchards of the Rouge river valley, a train of seven tank cars arrived here at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon, bringing a most welcome relief to the apple growers of the entire valley, where frosts theatened the wholesale destruction of the coming season's apple crop in Southern Oregon.

The train of tank cars was rushed out of Richmond, California, at 6:45 o'clock Thursday night in response to a frantic appeal from the orchardists of Medford. A train of ten tank cars was made up in four hours after the receipt of the wire. The train passed through Dunsmir at 7:20 yesterday morning, and due to favorable conditions on the line, was able to reach Medford in sufficient time to bring welcome relief to the fruit growers.

BIG EATERS GET KIDNEY TROUBLE

Take a glass of Salts before breakfast if your Back hurts or Bladder bothers you

The American men and women must guard constantly against Kidney trouble, because we eat too much and all our food is rich. Our blood is filled with uric acid, which the kidneys strive to filter out, they weaken from overwork, because sluggish the eliminative tissues clog and the result is kidney trouble, bladder weakness and a general decline in health.

When your kidneys feel like lumps of lead; your back hurts or the urine is cloudy, full of sediment or you are obliged to seek relief two or three times during the night; if you suffer with sick headache or dizzy, nervous spells, acid stomach, or you have rheumatism when the weather is bad, get from your pharmacist about four ounces of Jad Salts, take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to flush and stimulate clogged kidneys; to neutralize the acids in the urine so it no longer is a source of irritation, thus ending bladder disorders.

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Mrs. Lula Walden, of Gramlin, S. C., followed this advice. Read her letter: "I was so weak, when I first began to take Cardui, that it tired me to walk just a little. Now, I can do all the general housework, for a family of 9." Try Cardui for *your* troubles. It may be the very remedy you need.

WITH THE CHURCHES

SAN PABLO BAPTIST CHURCH

Services will be held in the San Pablo Baptist church tomorrow as follows: Sunday school at 10 a. m.; preaching at 11 a. m., subject, "Housekeeping." All young men and women are especially invited to attend the services. Come to the prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:45. All our services are enjoyable. Always look for the church notices in the Saturday issues of the Record-Herald.

S. K. SKINNER, Pastor.

WESLEY METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. sharp; sermon by the pastor at 11 a. m.; Junior League, 2:30 p. m.; Intermediate League, 6:00 p. m.; Senior League, 6:45 p. m.; Song Service, let by orchestra and choir, at 7:45 p. m. The eloquent O. B. Smith will deliver his great address, "Jerusalem and her Movements," at 7:50 p. m. This address is fine and Rev. Smith is one of the most eloquent men in America. Hear him tomorrow night—he is great.

D. W. CALFEE, Pastor.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday school at 9:45; preaching service at 11. There will be special music by the church choir at this service. B. Y. P. U. at 6:30; song service at 7:30. We believe in congregational singing as you will learn if you come. The subject of the evening sermon will be "Hot Cakes Right Off the Griddle." This promises to be a veary unique sermon. You who are not in the habit of attending church, come out Sunday night and hear Rev. Stewart speak on that subject. Come on time so that he can serve the cakes hot. All are welcome at the Calvary Baptist, The Church with an electric sign.

W. S. STEWART, Pastor.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

This is the last Sunday in the ecclesiastical year and we are bound to close the year in good condition. The Sabbath school will commence at 9:45 sharp. Everybody be on time this once anyway. Then the celebration of the Lord's supper will take place at 11:00. The subject for the morning thought will be "Empty Places at the Lord's Table."

The second Presbyterian Sunday school will be held at 3 o'clock in Barnaman's hall, 19th street, near Macdonald avenue and Mr. Fred James is the superintendent; Mr. Fred Hausenchild, assistant superintendent; and Mrs. Jessie Lee Kittle, secretary treasurer. All the boys and girls east of the Espee are cordially invited to this school.

The Junior C. E. meets at the church at 3 o'clock with Miss Norton, while the seniors meet at 6:45.

At 7:45 Prof. Buchanan, a world traveler and philanthropist, will give the "Life of Jesus" in picture, story and song." A stereopticon "Life of Christ."

TRINITY EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Corner of Washington and Nicholl avenue, Rev. C. S. Linsley, pastor. Sunday school at 10 a. m.; regular morning and evening services by the pastor at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. A cordial invitation is extended to the public.

EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN.

Evangelical Lutheran services in the Sequoia hall every Sunday morning at 10:30 o'clock, Sunday school at 9:30. Preaching by the Rev. Walter Loretz in the German language every first and third Sunday in the month; in the English language the second and fourth Sundays.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH.

Rev. A. C. Austin of Oakland will be present at the First Baptist church on Washington avenue for both morning and evening services. Special music by the choir. Sunday school, 10 a. m.; preaching, 11 a. m.; Young People's, 7 p. m.; preaching, 8 p. m. The public is cordially invited to attend.

ST. PAUL'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

There will be regular services at St. Paul's Catholic Church, San Pablo. Mass at 10 a. m. Sunday school and evening devotion at 7:30 o'clock.

BIBLE STUDENTS.

The International Bible Students' association will meet at College hall, Macdonald avenue and Fourth street, Sunday at 2 p. m. for Bible study.

S. P. FIRST RAILROAD TO ADOPT SYSTEM

Salient facts about the Southern Pacific Company's student course were pointed out by Norman Collyer, chief clerk to the president of the company, in a paper read before the Safety First Conference, University of Nevada, recently. Mr. Collyer, explaining that the idea was conceived and put into effect by Julius Kruttschnitt, while vice president and manager of the company; that it was first crystallified into syllabus form under the administration of Vice President E. E. Calvin and that later it was extended, by direction of President Sproule, to embrace the traffic and accounting as well as operating departments, said in part:

"To my knowledge, the Southern Pacific Company was the first railroad in the United States to adopt an orderly, systematic scheme for the development of the executive talent through the medium of apprenticeship. There is nothing spectacular about the course. We do not claim to make superintendents and general managers over night. We are just trying to make all 'round railroad men in a new way.

"The aim of our student course is to give to young men in the employ of the company an opportunity to pass through different departments for the purpose of gaining such co-ordinated knowledge of the entire railroad as will fit them better to assume positions of responsibility. It is, in fact, a laboratory course wherein the student performs the actual work of the department to which he may be assigned, supplemented by a parallel course of reading in text books and periodicals.

"Briefly, the procedure is as follows: Upon appointment the student is first placed at a station medium size for a period of six months. This is because the station agent handles both the beginning and the end of transportation. The student is expected to perform such duties as are assigned to him by the agent, and the agent is expected to afford him such diversified experience as will give him an all-around knowledge of station work, including ticket office, warehouse, baggage room, yard and the solicitation of business. Being an extra man, the student is not bound down to routine, but it permitted to distribute his time in such a way as to treat each feature with equal thoroughness.

"Next the student is assigned consecutively to maintenance of way, the office of the superintendent of transportation, motive power, train service, accounting department, and tariff bureau, spending three months in each. This completes his second year as a student and he should now have a working knowledge of the several departments of the railroad and their mutual interdependence. At the student's option (subject to the approval of the management) he next elects to specialize in either operation and maintenance, passenger and freight traffic, or accounting. Completing his work in either of these, he is given, after his graduation, such special experience as is needed to fit him for a regular position; thereafter everything depends on himself.

"To the thoughtful young man contemplating railroading as a life work, the student course offers an opportunity not to be overlooked. The opportunities in the railroad business are limitless and while advancement can not come to all, it means a good deal to a young man to be in line. It is our belief that the graduate of ten years will be better, broader and more competent for having been a student, he has the right stuff in him; and if he has not the right stuff, he will not last that long."

CHURCH OF ST. MARK THE APOSTLE

Corner of Bissell avenue and Tenth street, Rev. P. M. Griffin, pastor in charge. There will be first mass at 8:30 and Sunday school; second mass at 10:30; evening devotion at 7:30.

OUR LADY OF MERCY CATHOLIC CHURCH

Richmond avenue between Santa Fe and Marina street; Rev. Father Sullivan, pastor. There will be first mass at 8:30, followed by Sunday school in charge of the Presentation Sisters; second mass at 10:30; evening devotion at 7:30.

MAY STOP FREIGHT ON ITS WAY EAST

On certain forms of railroad tickets, passengers are entitled to stop-over privileges. The Southern Pacific company, in a new arrangement provided for the aid and encouragement of fruit shippers goes one better. It now provides stop-over privileges for certain grape shipments.

The company has made arrangements whereby it expects to allow grape shipments in barrels packed in sawdust or cork to be stopped in transit once at any point east of Colorado for storage purposes, thus, if the shipper sends a carload of grapes to Chicago and discovers while the shipment is in transit that the market has fallen, he can, by notifying the company have his shipments stored, await more favorable market conditions, and then forward them to destination at about the same through rate.

Another innovation that will prove a boon to shippers of deciduous fruits is the Southern Pacific's arrangement whereby in future it will allow the stoppage of deciduous fruits at one intermediate point east of Colorado for partial unloading, the balance of the car being forwarded to final destination at about the same through rate. By this arrangement, the shipper could, if he so desired, send a carload of deciduous fruit east and stop it in transit to dispose of part of the shipment at stoppage point.

TUESDAY IS FLOWER DAY AT MARTINEZ

MARTINEZ, March 28.—Thousands of flowers will be used in the flower day festival to be held here Tuesday, March 31 by the school children of Martinez. Miss Alice Weeks and Miss Alice Kelly, principal of the grammar school, will have charge of the celebration which is a unique yearly institution. More than 480 barrels of flowers were used last year, and it is anticipated that this record will be exceeded at the coming festival.

Dave Horvitz, formerly proprietor of the Yosemite Cigar store, on Washington avenue, left yesterday afternoon for Arizona, where he will accept a position with the Mathias company of that state as a traveling salesman.

BAKERY GROWS IN PUBLIC FAVOR

Bread is "the staff of life." Isn't it very necessary then, that one should use the very best bread obtainable? The National Bakery, at Nevin and 9th streets, has made an enviable reputation for making good bread, in the few months it has been in business and new customers are being added almost every day, to its already large list of customers. Prompt delivery is a feature at this bakery.

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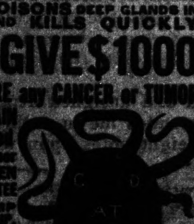

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POLITICAL Announcements

To the Voters of the First Supervisorial District, Contra Costa County, California.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Supervisor to represent the people of the above district on the board of supervisors of Contra Costa county.

Primary election, Aug. 25, 1914.
General election, Nov. 3, 1914.

As under the existing law the election for County Officers is non-partisan, I propose to base my candidacy upon a determination to act as an official in a non-partisan manner and not to be swayed in my official conduct by political or other influence.

Very respectfully,
WM. F. HUBER,
Party Affiliation: Republican.

TO THE VOTERS OF CONTRA COSTA COUNTY:

I hereby announce myself a candidate for **SUPERIOR JUDGE** of Contra Costa county. Primary election **AUG. 25, 1914.** General election **NOV. 3, 1914.**

Under the present law all county officials are elected by a non-partisan vote. If elected I shall stand for a fair and impartial trial of all cases with the least delay possible.

C. A. CLARK.

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Chas. E. Fisher
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—FOR—
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Election Mar. 31, 1914

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OWENS SUBMITS ANSWERS TO ATTACKS OF TRADUCERS

(Continued from Page 3.)

I desire to say frankly to all of my constituents that I believe in the inherent right of a business man to conduct his business so long as he conducts it fairly, and I shall also be as earnest in protecting the right of the laboring man without being blacklisted or without being unfairly treated by his employer.

My vote, however, upon these measures and upon like legislation must be controlled by REASON and JUDGMENT and not by FORCE and THREATS, and I desire to serve notice of this fact upon Mr. Scharrenberg.

Water Commission Bill.

I am charged with having voted against the Water Commission bill which was so unpopular and is held up by referendum.

The bill was inaccurately and carelessly drawn, and did not protect the existing rights of ranchers and farmers throughout the state.

My constituents would like to have an inside history of this bill, and I regret that space does not permit me to go into it at length.

Suffice it to say that it was recommended from the Judiciary Committee by only two members, when the rules provide for nine members. It was rushed through the closing hours of the Senate without more than five members knowing what its provisions were. I might add that the leading progressives in the Senate passed it contrary to their judgment.

Cement Bill a Cinch Measure.

I am charged with having voted against the Cement bill. **I did so, and am proud of it.**

The Cement bill was admittedly a cinch measure drawn by Scharrenberg or some men of his caliber.

Had it passed it would have put thousands of men in California out of employment.

It was charged that the work in these mills was unhealthy. The unimpeached testimony of employes in the mills disclosed that the workmen are as strong and healthy as any class of men in the state.

It was also charged that certain men interested in this measure were urging it for the purpose of obtaining a large sum of money.

I AM INFORMED BY MORE THAN ONE PERSON THAT AN OFFER WAS MADE TO WITHDRAW THE BILL FOR A CONSIDERATION OF $10,000.

I ask my constituents in all seriousness if they desire that I should be a patry to such an iniquitous proceeding and thus fulfill the wish of Mr. Scharrenberg, or under my oath vote to conserve the best interests of the State and protect the thousands of men employed in that industry.

At this time it migh be well for me to give the voters of my district a little inside information.

There are certain men who appear at every session of the Legislature for the purpose of urging measures in order that they may subsequently defeat or withdraw them for a CONSIDERATION.

I do not charge that this was the motive that actuated Mr. Scharrenberg, but my voters can form their own conclusions.

Those Mining Bills.

I am also charged with voting against three mining bills, none of which have become laws, but which were defeated by a progressive Legislature and voted against by all the progressive leaders of the Senate.

I know nothing about the subject of mining, but the people from the mining districts were unanimous in their opposition to these bills, and I think their judgment is superior to that of Mr. Scharrenberg.

At any rate, the men who were opposed to them were not there on salaries.

Minimum Wage Bill.

I am charged with having voted against the bill providing for a $3.00 a day minimum wage on state contract work.

I did vote against this bill, and am of the opinion that my vote was justified on very fair consideration.

It was the opinion of men close to the state administration that such a measure would practically defeat the effort of the state to build public highways throughout the length and breadth of the Commonwealth.

A bond issue of $18,000,000 had been authorized by the voters of the state for the building of certain highways, and we were reliably informed that these roads could not possibly have been built with the money provided for that purpose if the $3.00 minimum wage bill became a law.

It was also apparent that the enactment of such a law would make more appropriations inadequate for the purpose for which they had been made.

I am constrained to believe that my alltitude on this measure was correct, and believe that the Governor of this state held the same views, because he gave it the pocket veto.

Friendship For Labor

I desire in conclusion to state that my general attitude on all labor measures is based upon a warm friendship for labor and not antagonism for it, nor am I opposed to labor unions.

I believe in the right of laboring men to organize and protect their rights.

I believe, however, it is the duty of a legislator to so govern himself in the discharge of his duties that opportunities for employment may be increased rather than diminished, because no state can be prosperous without the employment of a large number of laborers.

I also believe that they should have fair and just compensation, for certainly the laborer is worthy of his hire.

I also believe that Legislature of the state should endeavor to create friendship between labor and capital rather than estrange it from labor and capital, because I hold that capital and labor should not be engaged in warfare against one another, but that they should go hand in hand in order to make the people prosperous and happy.

Unfathered, Unsigned Attack a Vicious One.

I desire to call the attention of my constituents to the fact that I am only attacked for my votes upon seven or eight measures, whereas I have voted perhaps more than a thousand times upon different measures.

The unfairness of this unfathered and unsigned attack is shown by the fact that they have not commended me in a single instance, and have only found some seven or eight votes upon which to condemn me.

I desire to say to my constituents that I hope to be permitted to serve out the remainder of my term, that I have stated my position fairly, and that it is my purpose to be governed under my oath by my judgment after as full an investigation as can be made under the several measures that will come before the Senate for its consideration.

I shall not be governed by prejudice, nor shall I permit myself to be influenced by paid lobbyists, but I shall always be willing to give the fullest consideration to any citizen who desires to give me information or aid me in coming to a proper conclusion.

I repeat that the attack made upon me was either written or instigated by Mr. Scharrenberg, and I ask my constituents whether they desire to have me serve them in the Senate, or have Mr. Scharrenberg or some one whom he can control.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE OF FILING REPORT OF COMMISSIONERS IN THE MATTER OF THE WIDENING OF TENTH STREET, IN THE CITY OF RICHMOND, COUNTY OF CONTRA COSTA, STATE OF CALIFORNIA, NORTHERLY FROM THE NORTHERLY LINE OF BARRETT AVENUE TO THE NORTHERLY LINE OF THE RICHMOND BOULEVARD TRACT, IN ACCORDANCE WITH RESOLUTION OF INTENTION NO. 217 OF THE COUNCIL OF SAID CITY OF RICHMOND, ADOPTED THE 5TH DAY OF JANUARY, 1914.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the Commissioners appointed by the Council of the City of Richmond, County of Contra Costa, State of California, to assess the benefits and damages and have general supervison of the proposed work of widening said Tenth Street from the northerly line of Barrett Avenue to the northerly line of the Richmond Boulevard Tract, pursuant to and in accordance with Resolution of Intention No. 217 of said Council of the City of Richmond, adopted the 5th day of January, 1914, having made their assessment of benefits and damages, and having made a written report thereof to the City Council of the City of Richmond, and having attached to said report a plat of the said assessment district showing the lands to be taken for the said work or improvement and the lands assessed, showing the relative location of each district, block, lot or portion of lot and its dimensions, so far as the Commissioners can reasonably ascertain the same; and said Commissioners having done all things by law required of them to be done;

NOW, THEREFORE, public notice is hereby given that said report and plat were filed in the office of the undersigned Clerk of the City of Richmond, on the 25th day of March, 1914, and in pursuance of statute made and provided, the undersigned, A. C. FARIS, Clerk of the City of Richmond, hereby gives notice of said filing of said report and plat, and all persons interested in said work or improvement are hereby notified and required to show cause, if any they have, why said report should not be confirmed by said Council, by filing objections in writing, with the undersigned Clerk of the City of Richmond, at his office at No. 210 Washington Avenue, in said City of Richmond, as required by law, on or before Friday, the first day of May, 1914, and up to the hour of 5 o'clock P. M. of said last named day, which said last named day is hereby fixed by the undersigned for that purpose.

Dated: March 26, 1914.

SEAL) A. C. FARIS,
City Clerk of the City of Richmond.

First publication Mar. 26, 1914.
Last publication Apr. 6, 1914.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS

STATE AND COUNTY TAXES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR 1913-1914

Office of the Collector of State and County Taxes, Martinez.

Notice is hereby given that I have received from the Auditor of Contra Costa County the duplicate Assessment Book for the fiscal year 1913-1914, and

1st. That the taxes on all personal property secured by real property, and one-half of the taxes on real property will be due and payable on and after the

Second Monday in October

1913, and will be delinquent on the

Last Monday in November

next thereafter at 6 o'clock P. M., and unless paid prior thereto, fifteen per cent will be added to the amount thereof, and if said one-half be not paid before the

Last Monday in April, 1914

at 6 o'clock P. M., an additional five per cent will be added thereto. The remaining one-half of the taxes on all real property will be payable on and after the

First Monday in January,

1914, and will be delinquent on the

Last Monday in April

next thereafter at 6 o'clock P. M., and unless paid prior thereto, five per cent will be added to the amount therof.

2d. That all taxes may be paid at the time of the first installment, as herein provided, is due and payable.

3d. That payment of taxes must be made at the office of the Tax Collector, in the town of Martinez.

M. W. JOOST,
Tax Collector of Contra Costa County.

First publication, Nov. 10, 1913.
Last publication April 30, 1914.

OPENING OF TWENTY-THIRD STREET

NOTICE OF RECEIPT OF ASSESSMENT ROLL IN THE MATTER OF WIDENING TWENTY-THIRD STREET IN THE CITY OF RICHMOND, COUNTY OF CONTRA COSTA, STATE OF CALIFORNIA, NORTHERLY FROM THE NORTHERLY LINE OF MACDONALD AVENUE TO THE NORTHERLY LIMITS OF THE CITY OF RICHMOND, IN ACCORDANCE WITH RESOLUTION OF INTENTION NO. 170, OF THE COUNCIL OF THE SAID CITY OF RICHMOND.

Notice is hereby given that the assessment roll, in the matter of widening Twenty-third Street northerly from the northerly line of Macdonald Avenue to the northerly limits of the City of Richmond, to wit:

A certified copy of the report, assessment and plat made and filed by the commissioners appointed to assess the benefits and damages, and to have general supervision of the work as above described, as finally confirmed and adopted by the Council of the City of Richmond at its regular session of March 16, 1914, has been forwarded to and filed in the office of the undersigned Superintendent of Streets of the City of Richmond.

All sums levied and assessed in and by said assessment roll are due and payable immediately.

The payment of said sums is to be made to me within thirty (30) days from the date of the first publication of this notice.

All assessments not paid before the expiration of the said thirty (30) days will be declared to be delinquent and thereafter the sum of five (5) per cent upon the amount of each delinquent assessment, together with the cost of advertising each delinquent assessment will be added thereto.

Dated at the office of the Superintendent of Streets, this 23rd day of March, 1914.

H. D. CHAPMAN,
Superintendent of Streets.

First Publication Mar. 24, 1914.
Last Publication, April 3, 1914.

NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE

In the Superior Court of the County of Contra Costa, State of California.

Roderick Gillis, Plaintiff, vs. Archie Gordon and Phoebe Gordon, Defendants.

Notice of Sheriff's Sale under Foreclosure of Mortgage.

Under and by virtue of an order of sale and decree of foreclosure, issued out of the Superior Court of the County of Contra Costa, on the 9th day of March, A. D. 1914, wherein the above named plaintiff obtained a judgment and decree of foreclosure against the said defendants on the 9th day of March A. D. 1914, for the sum of One Hundred and Forty-seven and 69-100 Dollars and the additional sum of Ninety-four and 30-100 Dollars costs, including counsel fees, which said judgment and decree was on the 9th day of March, 1914, recorded in Judgment Book No. 13 of said Superior Court, on page 397, I am commanded to sell at public auction, and in the manner prescribed by law, all those certain lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate lying and being in the County of Contra Costa, State of California, and bounded and particularly described as follows:

Being lot Forty-four (44) in Block Nineteen (19), Bay View Tract, as said Lot and Block are respectively laid down and delineated on the map of Bay View Park, filed in the Office of County Recorder, in the County of Contra Costa, on April 4, 1905.

And public notice is hereby given that on MONDAY, the 6th day of April A. D. 1914, at 11 o'clock A. M. of said day in the County of Contra Costa, State of California, I will, in obedience to said order of sale and decree of foreclosure, sell the above described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to raise sufficient money to satisfy said judgment, with interest and costs, etc., to the highest bidder for cash, gold coin of the United States.

Dated at Martinez, Cal., March 10th, 1914.

R. R. VEALE, Sheriff of Contra Costa County.
W. ERNEST DICKSON, Eureka, Cal., Attorney for Plaintiff.

Mar. 13, 20, 27, April 3.

If labor gets two cents for making and delivering a pound of sugar, how much ought the consumer pay? Local Richmond, Socialist Party meets every Thursday eve. at 521 6th St. Subscriptions received for Socialist books and papers.

H. C. THOMAS, Organizer
O. J. GIBBONS, Secretary.

A BIG NEW FACTORY FOR RICHMOND SOON

Automobile Factory of Large Capital and Employing a Thousand Men is to be Built Here This Spring and Manufacture a Steel Car That Will Retail for $400—Excursions to be Run From World's Fair to Richmond Daily by Industrial Commission—Other Live News of the Week Summarized

It is our pleasure to announce in this department this week the fact that another very large and very important manufacturing institution is to be started in Richmond in the course of another month or six weeks. This is a large automobile manufacturing concern—not the "A" Auto Co., but still another and a larger concern. The company is now forming and has its land all bought and paid for in Richmond, a very large and valuable acreage and admirably situated adjacent to both the Southern Pacific and Santa Fe railroads, and is backed by ample capital to build, equip and maintain such a factory. The automobile to be turned out by this new factory is to be sold to the user for the sum of $400, and will be a standard sized car and guaranteed to do good service and answer all general automobile purposes. It is to be built entirely of steel, with not a bit of wood in it, and will be a very handsome and useful car. We are unable at this time to give the names of those who are to start this big new enterprise in Richmond, for the reason that certain business details are yet to be finished up and they have requested that detailed publicity be not given for another week or two, but everything is being arranged to speedily proceed in the erection of suitable buildings for the factory and for the employment of a large force of skilled workmen. The management assure us that this factory will be working a thousand men by the close of this year, and that their car will be in demand all over the west, as filling a long-felt want among the masses of the people who cannot afford the purchase of the high priced cars. Several hundreds of thousands of dollars is being invested in this big new enterprise, by a management well known to our people—a management already having a fortune invested here and which has always been successful in its other large undertakings in Richmond. A large manufactury of automobiles that will put out a car at the retail price of $400 and give employment to a thousand men is another feather in Richmond's cap and will do much to further spread the name and fame of the city as an important manufacturing center. The ground will be broken for the erection of the new factory within the next thirty days.

Arrangements are being made by the Richmond Industrial Commission to run ferry excursions from San Francisco to Richmond during the Panama Pacific exposition all during 1915. These excursions will be run several times a week and every day if possible and many thousands of the world's fair visitors will be brought to Richmond and be shown around the city in automobiles by the live-wires of the Commission. In this connection the Richmond Permanent Exhibit room in the Lick building, Montgomery street, San Francisco, now being established, will be used as headquarters in which to gather the excursionists, where they will be shown the exhibit and then be marshaled on to the ferry boats for the run to Richmond.

A. O. Duggan has been promoted to the position of manager for the D. W. McLaughlin company and is going to get a new green hat with a bow on the back of it. Artie is some booster, all right, and has the earmarks of a coming realty promoter.

Another fine young man with bright prospects has got a similar boost up the realty ladder. Joe Rose salesman for Herbert Brown, has taken the place of Will Brown as manager of the Richmond office, Will manager of the Richmond office, Will going to the San Francisco offices. Now, play ball, Joe, and make a home run!

Manager Brewer of the Western Western States Gas and Electric company, is planting dozens of fine palm trees around the company's sub-station in Richmond and will have a beauty spot out there in a few years that will be good to look upon. Nothing gives more beauty and general satisfaction than trees, shrubs and flowers.

Nobody has found any $10,000 pearls over in the Cutting canal this week, but George McPherson found a few $20 goldpieces floating around, which he picked up in a resale of Boulevard lots. George was the pioneer sales agent on that tract and he still maintains that it is the coming metropolitan section of the city. And Mac is some prophet, too.

Henry Cutting is still building that fine new residence of his down near Haywards, and is pressed into service so much that he is thinking seriously of taking out a carpenter's card. It's as big as a hotel and will be something real nice when completed.

The big new business block now going up on the Burg Brothers Nicholl-Macdonald tract is fast climbing upward and is going to add a lot of style to that section of the city when it is completed. The sewer system for 23rd street is also going in now and will soon be ready to connect up with that tract. Every Sunday the Burgs bring over several automobile loads of people from San Francisco who are shown Richmond and made acquainted with the great possibilities of this city. Nothing like team work and boosting to accomplish great results.

George Wall is real good natured this week, and don't care who knows it. He is going into the house moving business in a few days and while he pulls on the tugs Guy Stokes will push on the hind wheel. We don't know what Brother Wall will go after next, but whatever it is the chances are that he will get it.

The realty men and the business men of the city state that as spring opens up their business is brightening and that they fully expect this year to be one of the banner years in the history of Richmond. And all signs now point in this direction.

To any manufacturer the question of proper location for his factory is of the most vital importance. In these days of keen competition first costs play a most essential part in the final success. It is the man who does not have to pay excessice rents, but who owns his own plant and property that is best equipped to place his product on the market at minimum cost and thus meet competitive prices and still make a fair profit. The ideal location, for any manufacturer, is the place where rail and water meet. It means raw material delivered at their doors at minimum expense. It means the finished product promptly shipped. It means considerable saving in time, labor and money and an increase in business due to satisfied customers. The necessity for such a port on San Francisco Bay is demonstrated daily. The freight traffic conditions existing the serious consideration of every shrewd manufacturer. The position occupied by Ellis Landing Subdivision might well be called the key to situation. It is located directly adjoining the Great Inner Harbor where ships can dock. Freight and passengers must pass through the property to reach other sections of the city, and it will have nearly two miles of docks and wharves with twenty feet of deep water at low tide. Long before the improvements now under way on Richmond's Great Inner Harbor have been completed, the benefits will be clearly manifested, not only to shippers, manufacturers and merchants in this locality but also in the interior and adjacent states, have for some time past been unsatisfactory. The increasing business has brought about a condition of affairs that requires immediate relief. Due to Richmond's location and the continuation of physical and commercial advantages are the main reasons why it was selected by the United States Government as the site of a great shipping center. Compared with its age, its growth is amazing, in fact it has earned the enviable reputation of being the fastest growing city in the United States. This growth has not been a boom. Richmond has proven a logical site for manufacturers and many corporations of national reputation have located here.

NOTICE TO WAR VETERANS

In order to obtain exemption of assessment of property as Veteran of the wars of the United States as provided in Section 1 1-4 of Article XIII of the Constitution of the State of California, it will be necessary to apply in person at the County Assessor's Office, Martinez, Cal., before the 20th day of March, 1914, (and each year thereafter) and swear to the proper Affidavit of Exemption. In making this application it will be necessary to present your honorable discharge. The applicant shall be entitled to exemption only on property within the County in which he or she is a resident: EXCEPT in those cases, where the value of the applicant's property is less than $1000. If through any physical disability, you are unable to appear at the Assessor's office, notify the Assessor and a Deputy Assessor will be sent to your residence, with the proper affidavit of exemption.

GEORGE O. MEESE,
Assessor.

First Publication, Feb. 14.
Last Publication, April 15.

NOTICE TO VOTERS

A new and complete registration of voters is required by law during the year 1914.

Registration closes for the purpose of voting for school trustees on March 3rd, 1914.

For the purpose of voting at municipal elections, on March 13, 1914.

For the purpose of voting at the primary election, on July 25th, 1914.

For the purpose of voting at the General Election, on October 3rd, 1914.

You may register with the County Clerk or any of his deputies.

Dated: January 22nd, 1914.

J. H. WELLS,
County Clerk of Contra Costa County, State of California.

The following are registration deputies:

Richmond—A. C. Faris, City Hall; I. R. Vaughn, City Treasurer's Office; Geo. K. Drew, Pt. Richmond; Fred C. Schram, 422 Macdonald avenue; Katherine Zimmerman, 432 C. St.; Mary D. Neill, 154 Washington St.; W. N. Younglove, 2219 Macdonald Ave.; Mary A. Shoemaker 1024 Barrett Ave.; H. H. Turley 724 S. 30th St.; Nannie L. Nesbit 621 Bissell Ave.; D. A. Knowles, 340 20th St.; F. J. Frost, 517 Ripley Ave.; C. B. O'Hara, 434 Fourth St.; Anna Belle Jarvis, 544 20th St.; N. M. Blankenship, 528 Third St.; F. H. Eggerth, 519 14th St.; C. W. Luckett, Pt. Richmond; W. F. Petillon; Geo. E. Schram, 422 Macdonald Ave.; B. B. Pierce, Park Place; Trthur H. Taylor, Winehaven.

Stege—W. H. Johnston.
San Pablo—Geo. E. Valencia.
Stege Junction—W. F. Huber.

Rust—F. J. White.
Giant—W. H. Williams.
Pinole—E. C. Ebsen, E. M. Downer, J. T. Fraser, Zittella Buckley, Mrs. Louis Robinson.

Hercules—A. M. Asmenfelter.

Rodeo—Mrs. Marie Smith.

Selby—Alex J. Reilly, J. E. Horvat.

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Last Publication, Oct. 3, 1914.

Real Estate Section

THE DEED TO A HOUSE is a whole lot better than a bundle of receipts for the privilege of living in it. Let us show ou how to convert those receipts into something of value. $100.00 cash and $25.00 per month will place you in possession of a 5-room house new and modern and in good location. $500.00 cash, balance, monthly payments, takes a 7-room house in desirable location, and may develop into business property. $150.00 cash, balance, $25.00 per month for 4-room house near the business section. $300.00 cash, balance $25.00 per month for 5-room house on 13th street, new and modern.

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New 5 room house on Roosevelt avenue, between 20th and 21st st. Price $2150; $500 cash; balance $25 per month.

One lot on 22nd street. Price $700; $250 cash; balance $10 per month.

New 8 room house 1-2 block off Macdonald avenue. Price $4500.

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Ben Schapiro Buys Large Tract of Land

The last of the large tracts in the vicinity of Richmond and San Pablo which has not been subdivided at this time changed hands in a deal which was closed in Oakland Friday afternoon. The tract consisting of over 200 acres was sold by the Realty Syndicate Company to B. Schapiro and his associates, the price being reported to be upward of $1,000 per acre.

The land faces on San Pablo avenue and runs back into the hills. It was rumored upon good authority in Martinez Friday afternoon that the deal was an absolutely cash transaction which if true means that Schapiro and his associates have over $200,000 cash invested in the tract at this time exclusive of the proposed improvements.

Blue Rock Marksmen to Shoot With Richmond

There is keen interest among the marksmen of the county in the meet to be staged in Richmond next Sunday when the Richmond gun club will meet the cracks from the Alhambra club of Martinez. The marksmen from the county seat will include Fred Burnham, who achieved fame as a hunter in South Africa.

The Richmond men who will meet the visitors include Oliver Wylie, Councilman Wm. Picton, Chief of Police James P. Arnold, Jack Feudner, Chester Harshner, Officer Joe Munday, Bert Curry and Clark King.

APRIL 18 IS TO BE NEW HOLIDAY

SACRAMENTO, March 28.—April 18th, the eighth anniversary of the great San Francisco fire, was designated as "fire prevention day" in a proclamation issued today by Governor Hiram W. Johnson:

"The purpose," the proclamation recites, "is to bring about united effort on this occasion to minimize the dangers of fires."

In commencing the day to Californians, the governor says: "I wish to join in making urgent appeal to all citizens to lend their energetic aid. In recognition of the part insurance companies have had in the rebuilding of San Francisco, plans have been made for a celebration on 'fire prevention day' at the exposition ground in San Francisco."

MANAGER WIGHT NOW HAS SAXON CARS

Manager Walter Wight, of the Mt. Diablo garage, returned from San Francisco at a late hour this afternoon with one of the new Saxon cars which are proving an innovation in the auto world, in that they embody all the features of a big car at a poor man's price.

The body of the car is light blue while the hood and trimmings are of jet black.

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RECORD OF SENATE BOOMERANG

(Continued from Page 1)

ed. A very important committee meeting on labor and capital, scheduled for 8 p. m. required my attendance until 4 a. m., and it was during this interval that Senate Bill No. 1740 was called for passage. Could one be in attendance upon the Senate and Committee Meeting at one and the same time with two floors separating?

RURAL CREDITS BILL

Charge No. 7 says: "He also absented himself on the vote for the Rural Credits Bill No. 165." Very true, Mr. Scharrenberg, but you certainly should be familiar enough with legislative proceedings to know that when a senator asks for unanimous consent of the Senate to be excused for the day following, that in all probability his name will not appear in the roll calls of that day. I respectfully refer you as a matter of education to the Senate Journal of March 24, 1913. On the first page you will note under the head of "Leave of Absence" the following: "Senator Owens was, on motion of Senator Julliard, granted leave of absence for the day." The vote was taken on the day in question, so fair-minded voters, did I purposely dodge the rollcall on this bill? I leave it for your judgment.

"A VERY IMPORTANT BILL"

Assembly Bill No. 970, **relative to Legislative Reference Bureau,** was called for final passage two days prior to adjournment. Am charged with having absented myself upon this **"very important bill."**

Among my partners in crime were such representatives of labor and progressive politics as Senators Bryant, Caminetti, Cartwright, Cassidy, Curtin, Flint, Gerdes, Mott, Regan, Rush, Strowbridge, Tyrell and Wright, and two senators who had the temerity to vote openly against it: Senators Cogswell and Shanahan.

In the future, senators, do not subject yourselves to the recall by either absenting or voting against a measure of such importance.

A MOST DILIGENT SENATOR

Again, with Senators Anderson, Breed, Carr, Cartwright, Cassidy, Curtin, Gates, Gerdes, Jones, Kehoe, Larkins, Lyon, Mott, Regan, Rush, Strobridge and Wright I failed to answer the call on Accembly Bill No. 1263. Senator Kehoe, whose record has been held up by the "Richmond Daily News," as the example for all future legislators to follow, certainly could not have been consulted before the publication of this "rubber stamped pamphlet."

The vote on Senate Bill No. 46 also discloses 16 candidates for recall and the same with Senate Bill No. 1812.

SOME COMPARATIVE FIGURES

In the statement and comparisons which are to follow, I wish to state by way of preface, that I do not entertain the slight feeling against my brother senators, but feel that false representations and cowardly publications by paid **misrepresentatives** of labor, through the medium of the "Richmond Daily News," force me to make known to the voters of my district, the facts unreservedly, and in doing so I shall refer freely to quotations of the above stated sheet, and the official records of the Senate of the state of California. I shall then leave to the calm deliberation of my jurors, the men and women voters of my Senatorial district, the question of whether or not my records on roll calls and daily average attendance will stand a competitive examination.

I quote from the "Richmond Daily News," of Tuesday, March 24, 1914, on page 2, as follows:

"On every important matter before the Senate Owens either voted against his promise or absented himself. He missed 731 roll calls—the record in all the history of legislatures in California—and the last two days of the session, when the most important measures were up for consideration and his fellow members in both houses were working eighteen hours of the twenty-four, he missed one hundred and thirteen roll calls. No such record for absenteeism has ever been made by any senator or assemblyman."

A LABOR LEADER'S ATTENDANCE

Now we get down to the facts. It will not be necessary to quote the record of more than one Senator to cast entire discredit on the above statement, and in doing so I will select from the list of the forty Senators, the exponent of the cause of labor, the recognized leader of organized labor, the author of the eight-hour law for women and progressive measures of great importance; Senator Lyons from Los Angeles. It must be borne in mind that some 3,500 rolls were called during the session and the duties of a Senator are so multitudinous that it would be a physical impossibility to answer more than four-fifths of them. Out of the 731 roll calls missed by myself, 110 occurred during the three days I had been granted leave of absence by the Senate, leaving 631 which were missed during the performance of duties outside of the Senate proper. Senator Lyons' record shows that he absented himself on 848 roll calls and 59 calls made during the period of "excused absence" would leave a total of 789, or 158 more than myself.

Quoting from the same paper, March 27, 1914, on page 2:

"The dodging record of Senator Owens is the greatest in all the history of the legislature of California and we defy him to point to one man in all the years that this state has had a legislature who neglected his duty more persistently and more continuously that he did during the last session of the legislature."

FALSE STATEMENT NOT CONSIDERED

May I ask you, Mr. Scharrenberg, how you reconcile the above facts and figures!

Richmond Daily News of Wednesday, March 25, 1914.

"The explanation of Senator Owens' failure to answer to seven hundred and thirty-one roll calls is given by his apologist as due to the fact 'that no one can serve on seven important committees and not miss many roll calls.' The important committees of the Senate are the Judiciary, the Finance, the County Government and Revenue and Taxation. The committees to which the Senator from the Ninth Senatorial District belonged were Commerce and Navigation, Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands, Labor and Capital, Municipal Corporations, Prisons and Reformatories, Revenue and Taxation, Roads and Highways. It will be noted that the Senator was not a member of either the Finance or Judiciary, and in fact of only one of the important committees, yet Senator Caminetti, who was a member of both the important committees hardly missed a vote. Senator Boynton who was a member of the important committees and president pro tem did not miss one-twentieth, in fact less than twenty-five roll calls, and he was the author of the Employers' Liability bill, of the Full Crew bill, of the Teachers' Pension bill, of the River Improvement bills, and introduced most of the amendments and practically took charge of the Japanese exclusion law. Senator Wright was another member of far more important committees than Senator Owens, was he absent seven hundred and thirty-one times? Was Senator Campbell, or Senator Hewett, or Senator Gates or Senator Kehoe? The records show that not one of these senators was absent fifty roll calls during the entire session, while Owens was absent 113 times in two days, and these the last two days of the session."

COMMITTEE MISSED ROLL CALLS

In answer to the above let me state the official records show that Caminetti who "**hardly missed a vote,**" missed 50 the last two days. Senator Boynton, president pro tem, instead of missing "twenty-five roll calls for the session," missed sixty for the last two days, Senators Wright, Campbell, Hewitt, Gates and Kehoe, instead of absenting themselves for not more than "fifty roll calls for the whole session, missed for the last **two days alone,** as follows:

Wright, 102 roll calls; Campbell, 135 roll calls; Hewitt, 26 roll calls; Gates, 125 roll calls; and Kehoe, 66 roll calls; as against the published statement of 50 for the entire session of 90 days.

WHO MISSED ROLL CALLS

Out of 285 roll calls for the last two days of the session the Senators answered as follows:

Anderson	223	Cartwright	154	Kehoe	219
Avey	215	Cogswell	159	Larkins	74
Beban	217	Cohn	210	Lyon	99
Benson	157	Curtin	112	Mott	206
Birdsall	222	Finn	202	**Owens**	**174**
Boynton	225	Flint	216	Regan	177
Breed	203	Gates	160	Rush	178
Brown	178	Gerdes	246	Sanford	104
Bryant	158	Grant	76	Shanahan	132
Butler	258	Hans	211	Strowbridge	205
Caminetti	235	Hewitt	259	Thompson	264
Campbell	150	Jones	218	Tyrell	234
Carr	178	Julliard	174	Wright	183

Is the above table sufficient answer to the following publication appearing on March 25, 1914, on page 2, of the "Richmond Daily News?"

"WE CHALLENGE HIS APOLOGIST TO SHOW ONE SENATOR ON THE FLOOR WHO WAS ABSENT HALF AS MANY TIMES AS OWENS, and among the leading senators who were on the important committees, such as Boynton, Caminetti, Wright, Curtin, Gates, Hewett, one who was absent one-tenth as often."

I think it is, and I defy contradition by reference to the official journals of the Senate.

By reason of the fact that a Senator's duties are divided between the Senate Chamber, Committee Meetings, Assembly Chamber, etc., a true test of his work would be a comparison of his daily attendance upon the legislature, and I respectfully submit the following table showing the whole number of days absent from attendance:

TABLE OF ABSENTEES

Anderson	3	Cassidy	22	Kehoe	7
Avey	0	Cogswell	4	Larkins	1
Benson	14	Cohn	3	Lyons	4
Beban	14	Curtin	10	Mott	0
Birdsall	1	Finn	2	**Owens**	**3**
Boynton	2	Flint	0	Regan	2
Breed	4	Gates	1	Rush	8
Brown	3	Gerdes	10	Sanford	15
Bryant	2	Grant	0	Shanahan	0
Butler	0	Hans	10	Strowbridge	3
Caminetti	6	Hewitt	8	Thompson	2
Campbell	2	Jones	2	Tyrell	13
Carr	0	Julliard	4	Wright	1
Cartwright	25				

Of the three days I was absent I obtained a unanimous consent from the Senate, and was occupied with my duties as Mayor or the city of Richmond.

One labor union Senator missed 329 roll calls in the last five days.

On page 2 of the "Richmond Daily News" of March 25, 1914, the following appears.

"Is it not a fact that when ever a roll call of the House was ordered Owens was always one of the Senators to be sent after?"

PLAIN FACTS DRIVEN HOME

This is not true, being another one of Mr. Scharrenberg's "ridiculuous scriptural quotations." The day after adjournment, the day upon which particular stress had been laid upon my non-appearance on roll calls, let me refer, Mr. Scharrenberg, to the Senate Journal of May 11, 1913, on page 2, and there he will find under the heading of "Call of the Senate," the following: "Pending the announcement of the vote, Senator Owens moved a call of the Senate."

Was I being called in or was I calling others in order that a quorum might be had, so that the Senate could start off the day's work.

JUPITER PLUVIUS PUTS DAMPER ON GAME TOMORROW

Just at the opportune time when all preparations had been made for staging one of the fastest baseball games that the fans of this city had ever cast a slant at old "Jup. Pluv" suddenly breaks in upon the scene and puts the damper on the whole affair. Of course there are many who will be greatly disappointed and why shouldn't they for they were to see such players as Wuffli, Lewis, Sharron, Shea and Powell in action whose pictures have graced the pink sheets on numerous occasions.

Manager "Rigeley" Greathouse (get the Rigeley?) is scratching his baseball nob pondering what move to make next. Should the game be called off on account of weather conditions the Richmond team will lose its first, last and only chance of tangling with the Spokane team who will leave on Tuesday for their northern quarters.

The grounds have been put in excellent condition during the past week and it is the opinion of Manager Greathouse and other fans that it will take a heavy shower to in any way soften up the local diamond.

DIAMOND CHIPS

Howard French, the "John McGraw" of the Richmond team has a number of merchants and fans lined up for his Booster club which is to burst into existence at a meeting to be held during the coming week.

Charlie Burns and Cliff Cleek would make a star battery for some big brush scout to happen upon.

CAST OF PLAY IS HOST AT A JOLLY PARTY

The cast of the high school play, "Windmills of Holland," tendered the students of the school a delightful party in the large assembly hall of the school last evening at the close of which dancing was indulged in. One of the features of the evening was the impersonation of Miss Laurette Taylor, famous for her rendition of "Peg O' My Heart," by Clarence Brown.

Earl McCann was in charge of the evening's party.

CLASSIFIED ADS

Too Late To Classify

If you want a business in Richmond call and see me. I have a few good ones for sale. GAMBLE, the Business Chance Man, 921 Macdonald Ave. March 28 tf

"Roaring Bill" Rucker is nursing a sprained wrist.

Manager "Rigeley" Greathouse has received a communication from "Brick" Devereaux, manager of the Calgary team, from Canada, stating that he would like to bring his nine here for a game. The expenses to be split in half.

Charlie Burns is having great success with his spit ball fadeaway which he used to great advantage in the Oakland Coast league game.